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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: F. TOMITA, et al.
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For: F₀F₁-ATPASE AND DNA ENCODING THE SAME
Group AU: 1656
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AMENDMENT

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October 16, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 16, 2006, the period for response having been extended for two (2) months by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as listed in the following, and as set forth on the following pages:

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION; and

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS; and

REMARKS are included following the amendments.